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THE ROYAL NURSERIES,

GHENT, Belgium.

TO VISITORS.

In presenting this Catalogue to our numerous Friends and Patrons, we take the opportunity of thanking them for past favours, and trust to receive a continuance of their kind commands. Our Establishment is always open to visitors (Sundays excepted) and we cordially invite every one to visit the **LARGEST** and most **EXTENSIVE** Nursery in the world. It can be reached within **ONE** hour by Rail from Antwerp, Ostend or Brussels, and we trust no one will ever miss the opportunity of inspecting one of the largest, most varied and well grown stock of plants ever brought together.

Special rates for freight.

Having made advantageous arrangements with the various Shipping Companies for the transmission of goods, matted baskets or hampers can be sent direct from **GHEENT** to all the principal ports at **SPECIAL LOW RATES**.

From the various ports to the final destinations, the reforwarding is made at the cheapest rate and by the shortest route.

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Small packages weighing under 3 lbs, 7 lbs and 11 lbs can be sent by **PARCEL POST** at the rate of 1/3, 1/8 and 2/2 respectively, to **GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND**.

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Catalogues published annually :

- JANUARY.** — Present Catalogue, **ENGLISH**.
- JANUARY.** — Begonias, Gloxinias and Seeds, **FRENCH**.
- MARCH.** — Stove and Greenhouse Plants, Orchids, etc., **FRENCH**.
- JULY.** — Bulbs, Azaleas, Camellias, etc., **FRENCH**.
- AUGUST.** — Bulbs, Azaleas, Camellias, Rhododendrons, etc., **ENGLISH**.
- OCTOBER.** — Roses, Fruit Trees and General Nursery Stock, **FRENCH**.

TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS.

GOLD MEDALS awarded at Antwerp, Brussels, Bruges, Ghent, Liège, Lille, Tournai, etc.

Many of our Friends will remember that we were the first who gave special attention to this beautiful and now so popular plant, in which size, color and substance of flower as well as habit, have in course of time, by careful selection, judgment and hybridisation, been brought to its present perfection.

Being the **pioneers of the Begonias**, we have ever since made a special feature of this handsome plant, which during its flowering season in the summer, may be seen by **hundreds of thousands**, forming one of the **chief attractions** in our Nurseries. — Thousands of visitors come yearly from all parts to see this grand sight.

Culture : — Begonias should be started into growth in March and can be planted out in May, where they will bloom untill frost sets in. They like a free soil, mixed with leaf-mould and can be stored in the winter same manner as Gladiolus etc.

We have great pleasure in being able to offer this season some remarkable novelties the descriptions and illustrations of which follow : —

BEGONIAS SINGLE.

BEGONIA

erecta

picta marmorata.

—
Novelty.
—

The petals of this Begonia are covered with white spots giving it a very striking and pleasing appearance.

The only colors at present produced are **red**, **pink**, and **orange**.



Each, 0/9 — the three, 2/7

BEGONIAS single striped, etc.

These Begonias with their stripes and various colorings are both curious and interesting; the varieties we are sending out this year are the most distinct and beautifully colored that have been obtained.

Each, 1/- — 6 distinct varieties, 5/-

BEGONIAS single white centre.

These novelties in **red**, **bright red** and **dark red**, are also the results of our hybridisation, and are recommended for their large flowers with a white centre or eye which produces a very pretty contrast.

In mixture, 3/- per dozen.

BEGONIAS single named varieties.

FOR POT CULTURE.

The following collection is a "perfect" and what may be called an "Exhibition" lot, being the cream of our extensive stock. The flowers are the largest and of finest shape, borne on strong and erect stems, and well above the foliage.

NOVELTIES.

The collection, 12/6 — 6 varieties, 7/- — each, 1/3.

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|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1 Bonfire, dark fiery red. | 7 Aurora, orange. |
| 2 Mrs. Strutt, dark scarlet. | 8 Snowflake, pure white. |
| 3 Brilliant, scarlet. | 9 Mrs. Wilson, salmon. |
| 4 Duke of Marlborough, tendre rose. | 10 Safrano, yellow. |
| 5 James Wigan, very dark rose. | 11 Old Gold, coppery yellow. |
| 6 Carmen Sylva, salmon rose. | 12 Sir Trevor Lawrence, dark copper. |

Begonia single "Our Gold Medal Strain",

BEGONIAS single, selected, without names.

Highly recommended for pot culture.

Awarded 1st Prize at the Ghent International Exhibition.

These varieties were selected and marked when in flower as being the best among a hundred thousand seedlings, and are especially suitable for pot culture, producing large well shaped flowers, high above the foliage.

White, yellow, copper, orange, pink, dark rose, red, dark red, salmon.

Each color separate, per dozen, 5/-.

BEGONIAS single, for bedding.

Very fine for bedding &c., in same colors as above, each color separate.

Extra fine varieties, the 12, 2/6; per 100, 12/- — Fine, the 12, 2/-; per 100, 10/-.

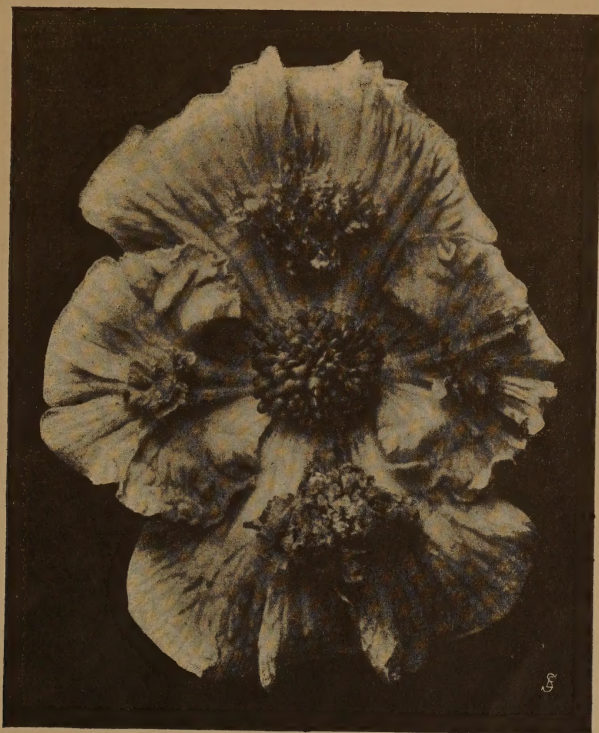
MIXTURE OF ABOVE SHADES :

Extra fine for bedding, the 12, 2/-; per 100, 10/- — Fine, the 12, 1/6; per 100, 8/-.

BEGONIA SINGLE. SEED, see page 13.

Novelty.

BEGONIA grandiflora erecta cristata.



As the name implies and the illustration shows this is quite a new break. — The petals are of great substance, and carry on the face a crest in the shape of a cockscomb, and we have every confidence in recommending same.

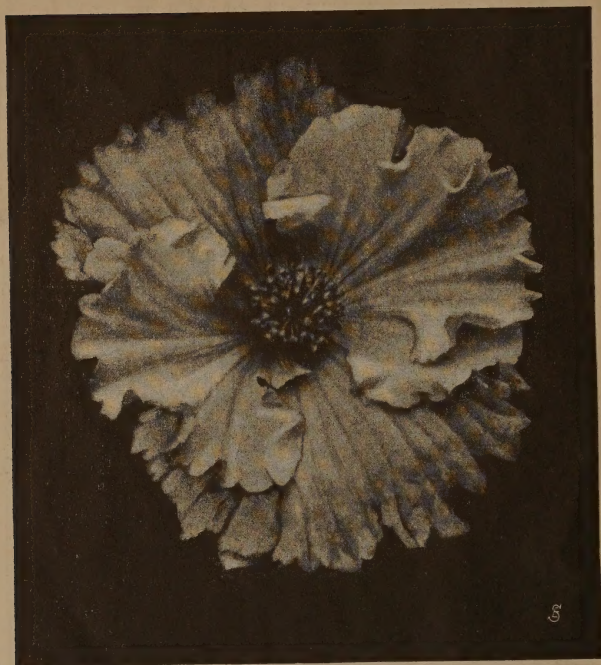
We can supply in colors **red, orange, light pink, dark pink, salmon red, dark salmon, salmon, copper, yellow and white.**

Each, **0/9** — the 10 colors, **6/-** — Mixed par dozen, **4/6.**

Extra show vars Each, **1/6.** — 10 colors, **12/-**

Novelty.

BEGONIA single frilled.



This is the most handsome form of single Begonias, being of exquisite shape and beautiful shades of color.

White, yellow, salmon, orange, dark red, scarlet, rose, dark rose, flesh color, and carmine.

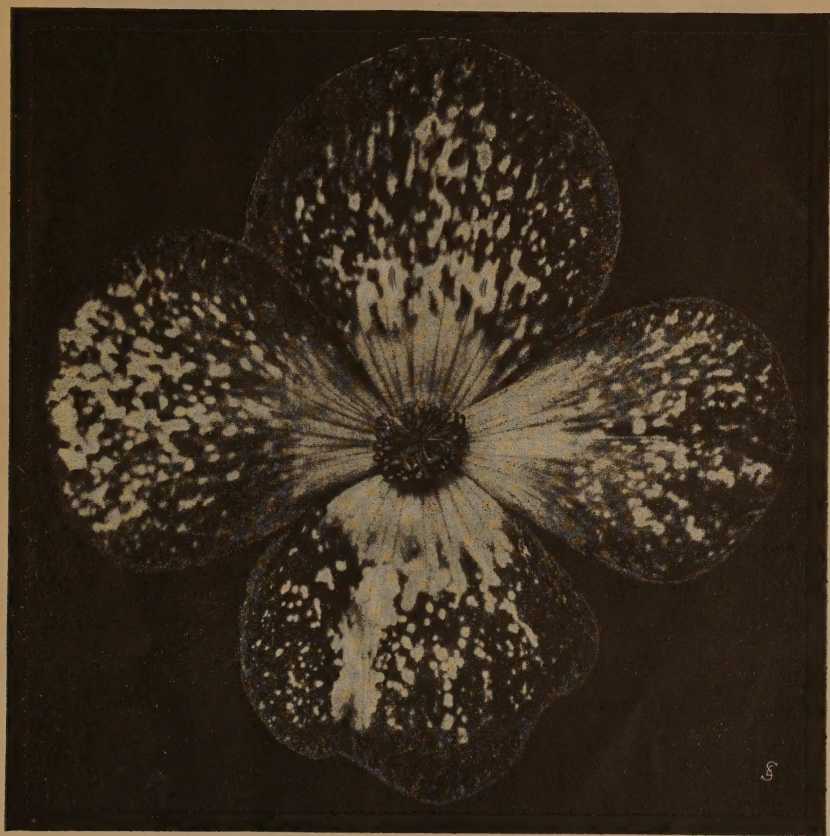
Each, **0/9** — the 10 different shades, **8/-**.

Mixed shades, per dozen, **9/-**.

Extra fine show vars : Each **1/6** — 10 colors **12/-**.

Novelty.

BEGONIA hybrida "The Butterfly".



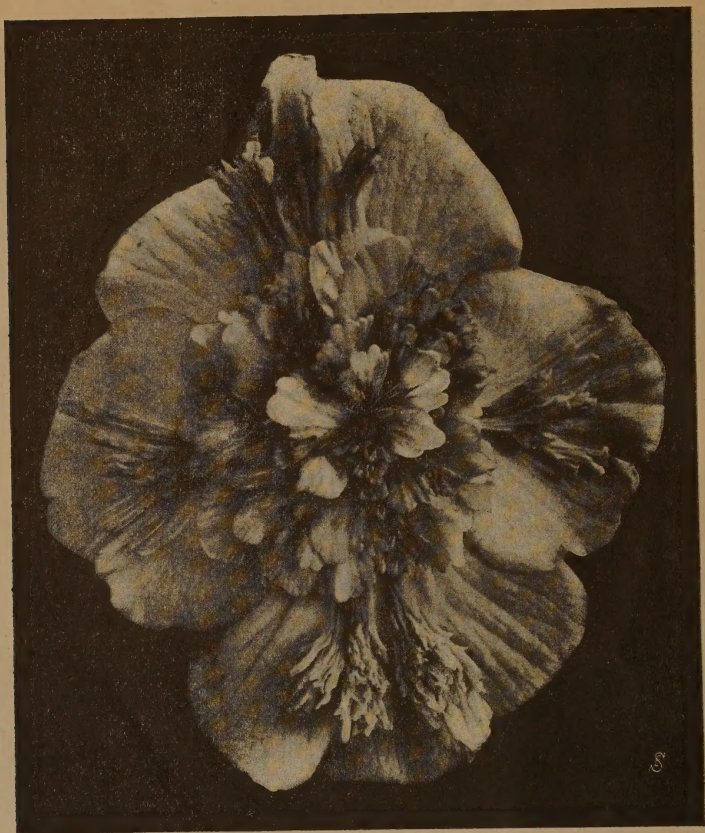
This Begonia is a sport from *Begonia picta marmorata* and a decided improvement on it. The white markings are abundant, giving the flowers a charming appearance.

The only colors up to the present are **red**, **rose** and **orange**.

Each, $1/6$ — the three colors, $4/-$.

Novelty of 1900.

BEGONIA erecta cristata flore pleno.



Of charming effect, as seen from the illustration. The outer petals carrying crests similar to the single form, whilst the inner petals are also more or less crested, giving the flower a very handsome appearance.

The colors obtained are, **salmon, pale yellow, yellow, dark copper, copper, and rose.**

Each, 3/- — the 6 colors, 15/-.

Novelty of 1901.

BEGONIA striata flore pleno.

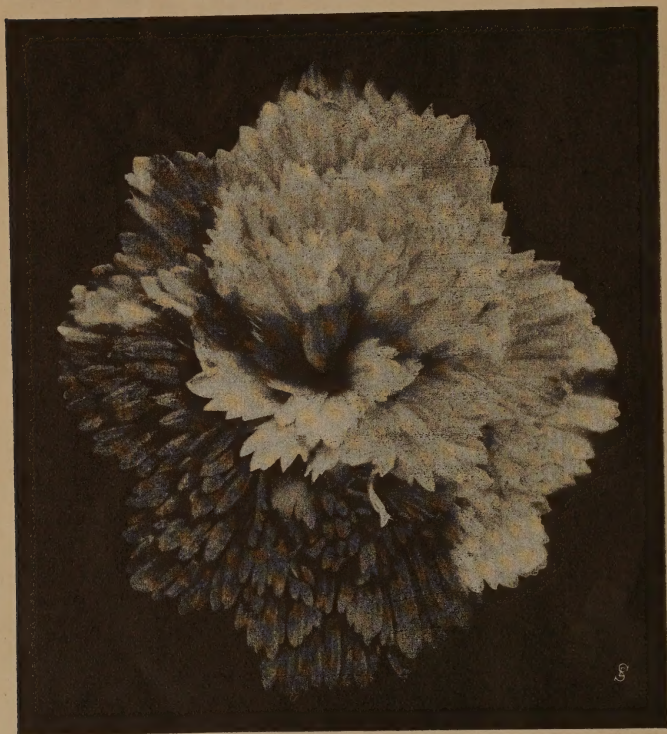


This is a very striking novelty, being a good form of double Begonia, striped and splashed white like a Camellia.

Each, 3/- — 6 distinct colors, 15/-.

Novelty.

BEGONIA fimbriata flore pleno.



Very double and the petals being fringed the flowers resemble in form as well as in size those of a *Camellia fimbriata*.

This novelty can be supplied in the following colors: **white, pink, dark rose, tender rose, scarlet, salmon and orange.**

Each, **1/9** — the **7** colors, **9/-**.

Exhibition vars : Each, **2/6**, the **7** colors, **14/-**.

Novelty.**BEGONIA "Phénomène",.**

As the name implies, this "phenomenal" Begonia, owing to its artistic ever varying shaped and most curious flowers should be included in the collection of every Begonia lover.

The petals are subject to a great variation of the most fantastic shapes as the illustration shows. Sometimes taking the form of feathers, at other times a number of them being transformed into more or less pronounced trumpet-shaped extremities, whilst in other instances again two of the number of petals are subject to transformations of different forms, be it feather, plume or trumpet-shaped, or combining the three shapes in one.

Each : **1/3**

per 12, varied : **12/-**.

**BEGONIA single Bertini.**

This fine bedding Begonia produces a continuation of brilliant vermilion flowers of rare beauty, and as a bedder stands unrivalled.

Per dozen : **6/-**

per 50 : **18/-**

per 100 : **30/-**



BEGONIA double Lafayette.

This is one of the Grandest Bedders, very floriferous and of good erect habit.

Flowers of medium size, very double and of the most brilliant orange scarlet

Per doz , 10/- — per 100, 50/-.

Begonia marmorata flore pleno. Novelty of 1903.

A double marmorata of exceptional beauty. Marbled and mottled rose, red, and white, of good form and robust habit.

Each : 5/- — 6, varied, 25/-.

DOUBLE BEGONIAS.

Extra large and erect flowering.

Novelties of 1903.

Each, 5/- — 6 varieties, 25/-.

1565 Star of Gendbrugge

Large full flower, orange-scarlet, very erect habit.

1566 Golden Age

Very large flower, dark yellow, very double.

1567 Pink Beauty.

Enormous flower of a lively clear rose, very double, habit very erect.

1568 Silver Queen.

Of compact growth, exceptionnally large pure white-flower

1569 Sunrise.

Large bright-orange, very double. Extra.

1570 Sunset.

A first rate variety of a beautiful bright salmon, and very double.

GENERAL COLLECTION.

	6 of the finest varieties	s. d.			
	12 " " " " " "	16 0			
	6 good varieties, our choice.	30 0			
	12 " " " " " "	10 0			
		18 0			
1452	Favourite	2 0	1523	Zampa	3 0
	Large flower of beautiful carmine shade,			Large peony-shaped flower, fimbriated	
1453	Marquise de Peralta	2 0	1524	Eldorado	3 0
	Enormous peony-shaped, carmine.			Large fimbriated, erect tender rose,	
1454	Etoile d'or.	2 0		edged dark.	
	Camellia-shaped, imbricated, of a beautiful canary yellow.		1525	Triomphe de l'Exposition.	3 0
1455	Carmen.	2 0		Fringed incarnat, very beautiful.	
	Imbricated fine shaped flower, salmon.		1526	Hesperide	3 0
1461	Aurore	2 0		Fimbriated, pure white, perfect.	
	Very double, delicate rose, camellia-shaped.		1527	La Perle	3 0
1467	Bouquet d'or	2 0		Large fimbriated, beautiful carmine.	
	Very large double flower; in size, form and color resembles a <i>Marechal Niel</i> Rose. Extra.		1528	Souv. of Pres. Mc Kinley	3 0
1468	Queen Victoria's Jubilee	2 0		Large, peony shaped orange pink.	
	Enormous peony-shaped flower, white.		1529	Prince of Wales	3 0
1475	Silène	2 0		Large, tender salmon rose.	
	Enormous imbricated flower, brilliant crimson.		1530	Beatrix	3 0
1496	Richesse	2 0		Large, fringed, erect, very double, canary yellow, perfect.	
	Immense, very erect and perfect flower, tender rose shaded yellow.		1531	Princess Elizabeth	3 0
1497	Original	2 0		Large, peony-shaped, pink. Extra.	
	Large peony shaped yellow, very large petals brilliant carmine red.		1532	Souvenir de Humbert I.	3 0
1498	Etoile	2 0		Bright carmine of enormous size.	
	Very large, tender salmon pink petals fringed very fine.		1533	Queen Wilhelmine	3 0
1499	Caméléon	2 0		Pure white, large, perfect shape.	
	Large and imbricated bloom with very large petals pink and salmon.		1534	Czar Nicolas II	3 0
1500	Surprise	3 0		Flesh rose flower, enorme.	
	Camellia-shaped, imbricated, copper red. Extra.		1535	Prince Leopold	3 0
1501	Thalie	3 0		Large imbricated bright red.	
	Very double large flowering, tender carmine rose.		1536	Paula	3 0
1502	Canari	3 0		Pure white, enorm and peony-shaped.	
	Fine flower, lovely canary yellow bordered carmine.		1537	Santos Dumont	3 0
1504	Vénus	3 0		Large salmon red, imbricated.	
	Brilliant carmine, well shaped imbricated flower.		1538	Mathilde	3 0
1505	Calypso	3 0		Very double, undulated, of delicate salmon color.	
	Magnificent double, dark pink.		1539	Souv. of Andree.	3 0
1506	Drusus	3 0		Brick red, round very full double,	
	Extra fine variety, pompon with undulated petals, fiery red.		1552	Purity	4 0
1507	Vesta	3 0		Pure white large comet-shaped flowers.	
	Very large, superb flower, pure white Extra.		1553	Comtesse Sophie Torby	4 0
				Bright yellow, large well shaped erect flower.	
			1554	Princess May.	4 0
				Orange apricot with a slightly coppery shade.	
			1555	Clara Watson	4 0
				Beautiful bright rose.	
			1556	Berthe Fontaine.	4 0
				Large imbricated of a bright cherry red.	
			1557	Dnchess of Portland.	4 0
				Large peony shaped of a brilliant scarlet.	

BEGONIAS double, large and erect flowers.

Awarded 1st Prize at the Ghent International Exhibition

White, yellow, copper, orange, rose, dark rose red, dark red, salmon,
each color separate.

Finest show varieties	each	1	3	—	per dozen	12	0
Choice varieties	per dozen	7	6	—	per 100	42	0
Finest mixture of above colors	" "	4	0	—	" "	25	0
In separate colors for bedding	" "	"	"	"	" "	20	0
Splendid mixture	" "	"	"	"	" "	16	0

BEGONIA double, large-flowering, sweetscented.

Novelty.

Flowers broad petalled of good shape, well above the foliage, of a **very sweet fragrance**, approaching that of a Tearose.

Red, white, tender rose, bright rose and salmon rose.

Each, 2/- — the 5 shades, 7/-.

GLOXINIAS.

All erect flowering varieties.



Hybrids & Crassifolia hybrids.

Extra fine Exhibition varieties.

1st PRIZE AT BRUSSELS INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION 1897
1st " " GHENT " " 1898

Each, 1/3 — per dozen, 12/-.

GENERAL COLLECTION.

6 distinct colors, our choice	5	0
12 " " " " "	8	0
25 " " " " "	15	0

Crassifolia hybrids.

Emperor Frederick, crimson bordered white.
Emperor William, deep violet bordered white.
Mont Blanc pure white.
Violacea, deep violet.
Princess Elizabeth, white bordered blue.

Madem. Hélène, white, violet crowned.
Princess Mathilde, white crowned rose.
Etoile de feu, dark carmine.
Queen Wilhelmine, dark rose.
Blanche de Méru, white bordered rose.

Per dozen 3/- — **MIXTURE.** Extra fine, per dozen, 2/6. Very fine, per dozen, 2/-.

Hybrids.

Défilance, fiery scarlet. — King of the Reds, deep scarlet. — Prince Albert, dark purple. p. 12: 3/.

French hybrids (laced and spotted).

MIXTURE. — Extra fine, per dozen, 2/6. — Very fine, per dozen, 2/-.

AMARYLLIS.

The culture of the Amaryllis has been for a number of years, and still continues to be one of our leading features; from year to year, no efforts are spared to bring to greater perfection this beautiful class of plants.

We are now offering strong bulbs of our newest varieties, which, for general beauty, are not to be surpassed if equalled.

Awarded **GOLD MEDALS** and **FIRST PRIZES** at the International Exhibitions Antwerp, Ghent, Brussels. Liège, Lille, etc. The assortments here offered are in choice varieties.

Fine mixed flowering sized bulbs having not yet bloomed.

The six, 10/6 — the twelve, 18/- the twenty-five, 30/-.

Fine named hybrids, our selection.

Each: 3/6. 5/-, 7/6 and upwards to 21/-.



Amaryllis vittata.

SEEDS.

(OUR GOLD MEDAL STRAIN.)

The following being saved from our own stock plants, and for our own use, we can only offer a limited number of packets of these extra fine strains at the following prices. All orders will be executed in strict rotation as received.

BEGONIAS.

Our Begonias have been awarded Gold Medals at Antwerp, Brussels, Ghent, Liège, Lille, Tournai, etc.

Begonia single	Per packet—s. d.	Begonia single	Per packet—s. d.
The Butterfly (le Papillon)	2 6	extra, in separate colors	1 6
grandiflora erecta cristata	2 0	double "	2 6
frilled	2 0	" fimbriata flore pleno	2 6
striped	2 0	" saved from finest and most erect flowers.	3 6

GLOXINIAS.

Awarded 1st Prize at Ghent International Exhibition 1898 and the Great International Exhibition at Brussels 1897.

All saved from our own exhibition plants. — Per packet. 2/.

GLOXINIA HYBRIDA: Défiance, Prince Albert, violacea, Princess Elizabeth, Mont Blanc, King of the Reds, Emperor Frederic, Emperor William, French hybrids mixed, crassifolias mixed.

PRIMULA sinensis fimbriata.

	Per packet—s. d.		Per packet—s. d.
alba gigantea	1 6	Vesuvius	1 6
Magnificent white flowers, surpassing all others.		Very large brilliant rose.	
atrosanguinea	1 6	cœrulea	2 0
Very rich bloodred.		Violet blue.	

OTHER CHOICE SEEDS, see our *Special Seeds Catalogue* No. 297.

GESNERIACEOUS PLANTS.

The tubers and rhizomes of the Gesneriaceous Plants may be had in a dry state from November till March. Plants ordered after that date may be had in a growing state at a correspondingly increased price.

During the autumn months a number of our cool greenhouses contain thousands of Gesneriaceous Plants in full bloom, such as: *Achimenes*, *Dircæas*, *Eucodonia*, *Gesnerias*, *Gloxinias*, *Nægeliæ*, *Plectropomas*, *Tydeas*, etc., representing all colors of the rainbow.

These plants alone, when in flower, are really worthy of a visit to our Establishment.

Achimenes		s. d.	Gesneria		Each—s. d.
Our choice, 12 var., 3 rhiz. of each		3 6	Leopoldi gigantea		2 6
" " 12 " 6 " " "		5 0	Handsome variety with enormous flowers of a brilliant red, throat incarnate with beautiful carmine markings.		
" " 12 " 12 " " "		8 0	Dircea, Hybrids mixed , per doz.	3 0	0 6
" " 25 " 3 " " "		5 6	Gloxinia (species)		
" " 25 " 6 " " "		8 0	maculata		0 9
" " 25 " 12 " " "		12 0	" sceptrum		0 9
Dolichodeira		Each—s. d.	Nægelia		
tubiflora per doz.,	2 0	0 3	1 variety		0 9
Eucodonia			12 varieties (our choice)		7 6
Ehrenbergi		0 6	Superb mixture per doz.	3 0	
nægelioides Diane		0 6	Nægelio-Achimenes , 5 varieties, 3 rhizomes of each		4 0
Gesneria			Niphæa		
Donkelaari		4 0	oblongata , 3 rhizomes		1 0
The most marvellous and free flowering of all the Gesnerias, of the richest color. Large flower of a lively carmine, throat yellow.			White with golden stamens, dwarf habit.		
Leopoldi		2 6	Rosanowia (Biglandularia)		
Dark red.			In variety		1 0
" albo-carminea		2 6	Scheeria		
White with a deep carmine ribbon over each division of the perianth.			1 variety (3 rhizomes each).		1 0
" albo-rosea		2 6	3 varieties (3 rhizomes each)		2 6
Cream color rosy shaded, throat lilac deep carmine strip'd.			Tydeæ		
			1 variety		0 9
			12 varieties (our choice)		7 6
			Varieties in fine mixture, per doz.	3 0	

For names and full description of the Gesneriaceous Plants, see Catalogue No. 297.



RICHARDIA Elliottiana (Calla)

var. Rossi.

The raiser, Mr. Donald Ross, of this new and beautiful Richardia gives us the following description: — As a foliage plant alone it is fine, but in combination with the large, bright golden flowers it is simply magnificent. This plant is evidently a new variety and a decided improvement upon Elliottiana & Pentlandi, and as I am the first to flower same, the Superintendent of the Cape Town Botanic Gardens has named it "Rossi".

We can offer extra strong corms at 5/- each, also limited supply of 2 to 3 year old corms at 2/6 and 3/6 each.

A SELECTION OF

Bulbs and Tuberous rooted Plants

for spring planting.

ANEMONES (A Coronaria.)

Double flowering varieties.

Fine mixture, per 100 3/3

Single flowering varieties.

Fine mixture per 100, 2/6.

For other varieties see our Cat. No 295.

GLADIOLUS gandavensis (Hybrids.)

To be had from October to April.

Our collection consists of the best hybrids only and can be recommended with every confidence.

Named varieties, our selection :

Assortment A 25 bulbs in 25 varieties.	10 6	Assortment B. 100 bulbs in 25 varieties.	32 0
" 12 " 12 " 5 9	25	" 25 " 25	9 0
Scarlet and red mixed, for groups in open ground	per dozen	1 6	per 100 8 0
Rose and dark rose, " " " " " "	" "	1 9	" " 10 6
Yellow and orange, " " " " " "	" "	2 0	" " 13 0
Light colors and white " " " " " "	" "	1 9	" " 10 0
All colors " " " " " "	" "	1 3	" " 6 6

Hardy hybrid Gladioli, large blotched (Lemoine)

Hybrids of *G. purpureo-auratus*.

Assortment E 100 bulbs in 25 varieties, our selection	12 0
" 50 " 25 " " " "	7 0
" 25 " 25 " " " "	4 0

Mixture. Per dozen; 1/- — per 100 5/-.

Gladiolus Childsi.

Very robust. With immense flowers.

Named varieties, per dozen, 5/-
Mixed " " 1/6 per 100, 10/0.

Gladiolus Nancyanus.

Fine mixture per dozen, 1/6 — per 100, 10/0.

For names of varieties and colors see our Cat. No 295.

IRIS Germanica (rhizomateous.)

Neither care nor expense have been spared to render this collection one of the finest in Europe.



Iris germanica.

Assortment E. 100 roots in 50 fine varieties, our selection	12 0
" F. 50 " " 50 " " " "	6 6
Fine mixture	per dozen 1 6 — per 100 8 0



Japanese Iris.

(*Iris Kämpferi*).

Flowering in June and July, of enormous size, and of the handsomest shades of colors imaginable.

We can specially recommend our new hybrids; they are perfectly hardy and easy to grow.

100 in 25 distinct vars, our selection, extra	32	0
50 " 25 " " " " "	17	6
25 " 25 " " " " "	9	0
12 " 12 " " " " "	5	0

Seedlings, fine mixed, per 12, 2/- — per 100, 12/-

For all other Iris, please consult our Cat. N° 295.

RANUNCULUS.

Double Persian.

Fine mixture, per 100, 1/3 — per 1000, 10/-.

Turban.

Fine mixture, per 100, 2/- — per 1000, 16/-.

LILIES.

AWARDED FIRST PRIZES AND SILVER MEDALS AT THE GHENT INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

25 Lilies in 25 fine varieties, from 20/- to 40/- — 12 Lilies in 12 fine varieties, from 10/- to 21/-.

For particulars please ask our Cat. 295.

Montbretia crocosmiæflora.

In 10 varieties, our choice, per 100, 5/-.

For names see Cat. 295.

Tuberose Excelsior Pearl.

Can be supplied from January to April.

Dwarf double American variety best for forcing.

1st size bulbs, 4 to 6 inches circumference, per dozen, 1/9 — per 100, 10/-

A complete Catalogue with varieties and names of Bulbs published in autumn, No 114.

A Choice and extensive Collection of

Stove & Greenhouse Plants

ORCHIDS

New and Rare Plants, &c.

For price etc. see Catalogue, No. 294.



Dieffenbachia.



Dracena Goldieana.



Odontoglossum grande.



Cypripedium insigne.

OFFICIAL AND MEDICINAL PLANTS, FRUITS, &c.

Carnivorous Plants.

Stove & Greenhouse Ferns, etc.

See Catalogue No. 294.

CALADIUM.

The Caladiums are very charming Aroids, exceedingly remarkable for their large and handsome colored leaves, suitable for decorating and ornamenting greenhouses during the summer months.

They may be had in a dormant state from October to April and are then sent by post; from April to October they can only be forwarded in pots as growing plants.



Novelties recently introduced from Brazil.

	s.	d.		s.	d.		s.	d.			
698	Aymoré	6	6	719	Vigario Joao Pro-	6	6	762	Favella	8	0
700	Barbacena	4	0		copio			763	Hortulania	12	0
703	Cacapava	6	6	756	Ararica	8	0	765	Manhuassu	8	0
712	M's F. Sander	6	0	757	Bahia	12	0	766	Pamplona	8	0
713	Mucuripe	5	0	758	Borborema	8	0	767	Pedro I	6	6
714	Peruquito	5	0	759	Calabar	12	0	768	Putumayo	8	0
715	Rio de Janeiro	6	6	760	Caramuru	12	0	769	Tamborun	6	6
718	Veiga Cabral	6	6	761	Cocorobé	5	0				

NOVELTIES.

6 varieties, our choice. **35/-** — 12 varieties, our choice, **63/-**.

EXTRA FINE VARIETIES.

Purchasers selection, 3/- each — 30/- per dozen, our selection.

GENERAL COLLECTION

12 varieties, our selection	18 0	and	24 0
25 " " "	24 0		36 0
			48 0

Strong plants for Exhibition purposes, **2/6** each.

For descriptions see our Cat. n° 294

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Kentia Belmoreana.



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ARECA	Each - s. d.
† Baueri (<i>Seaforthia robusta</i>)	1 0 to 5 0
lutescens (<i>Hyophorbe indica</i>), 3 to 4 plants in a pot, from.	1 6
† sapida (<i>Kentia sapida</i>), Verschaffelti.	1 0 to 7 6
	2 0 . 42 0
ARENGA saccharifera (<i>Saguirus</i>)	4 0
ATTALEA spectabilis	4 0
† BRAHEA	
dulcis strong plants	40 0
edulis " "	60 0
nitida " "	60 0
glauca (Rœzli) " "	21 0 to 63 0
CARLUDOVICA	
atrovirens (plicata)	8 0 to 20 0
palmata.	5 0 " 42 0
CARYOTA	
plumosa	21 0 to 31 6
sobolifera.	3 6
urens.	4 0 to 7 6
CEROXYLON niveum	10 6 " 200 0
CHAMÆDOREA	
Corallina	2 0
† CHAMÆROPS (TRACHYCARPUS)	
excelsa	2 0 to 21 0
humilis	2 6 " 10 0
COCOS Datil	15 0 " 25 0
Bonneti	40 0 " 160 0
coronata	2 0 " 15 0
† flexuosa	2 0 " 15 0
insignis	2 6
† Romanzoffiana	2 0 to 21 6
Wedelliana	1 0 " 10 0
† Yatai, specimens	84 0 " 125 0
† CORYPHA	
australis	1 0 to 7 6
" specimens	20 0
CYCAS	
revoluta	3 6 to 42 0
Very fine specimens	84 0 to 160 0
CYRTOSTACHYS Rendah (rare)	31 6
DIOON edule	40 0
EUTERPE edulis	2 6 to 8 0
GEONOMA	
gracilis	1 0 to 12 6
imperialis	4 0
Schottiana	2 0
GLAZIOVA insignis, see <i>Cocos insignis</i> .	
HYOPHORBE	
indica, see <i>Areca lutescens</i>	
Verschaffelti, see <i>A. Verschaffelti</i> .	
KENTIA	
† Belmoreana	1 6 to 10 6
specimens in all sizes	20 0 " 200 0
† Canterburyana (<i>Veitchia</i>)	2 6 " 40 0

KENTIA	Each—s. d.
† Forsteriana	1 0 to 10 0
" specimens	20 0 " 200 0
† Mooreana	2 7 " 10 0
† Mc Arthuri	2 6
sapida, see <i>Areca sapida</i> .	
singaporensis	2 6 to 6 0
† Wendlandi	7 8 " 42 0
" specimen	60 0
† LATANIA	
borbonica (<i>Livist. sin.</i>)	1 0 to 15 0
LICUALA	
grandis	5 0
LIVISTONA	
† australis, see <i>Corypha a.</i>	
rotundifolia	2 6 to 10 6
† sinensis, see <i>Latania borb.</i>	
MARTINEZIA disticha	3 6
PHENICOPHORUM Seychellarum (<i>Sten- vensonia grandifolia</i>)	15 0 to 80 0
PHENIX	
canariensis, see <i>Ph. tenuis</i> .	
leonensis	1 0 to 5 0
† reclinata	1 6 " 40 0
rupicola	4 0 " 40 0
" senegalensis	1 6 " 4 0
" tenuis (<i>canariensis</i>)	2 6 " 42 0
PINANGA decora	2 0
PRITCHARDIA	
filifera	8 0 to 16 0
Gaudichaudi	40 0
PTYCHOSPERMA, see <i>Seaforthia</i> .	
RAVENNEA Hildebrandti	10 0
† RHAPIS	
flabelliformis	4 0 to 105 0
" fol. var.	25 0
Sierotsik	63 0
RHOPALOSTYLIS sapida, see <i>Areca s.</i>	
SABAL Blackburniana, specimen.	80 0
SAGUIRUS, see <i>Arenga saccharifera</i> .	
SEAFORTHIA	
elegans (<i>Ptychosperma</i>)	2 6
robusta, see <i>Areca Baueri</i> .	
STEVENSONIA grandifolia, see <i>Phœni- cophorum Seychellarum</i> .	
TRACHYCARPUS excelsa, see <i>Chamæ- rops excelsa</i> .	
VEITCHIA Canterburyana, see <i>Kentia C.</i>	
VERSCHAFFELTIA splendida	21 0 to 105 0
WALLICHIA caryotioides	3 6
† WASHINGTONIA	
robusta, specimen	160 0
ZAMIA	
Lehmanni, strong.	84 0
verrucosa, specimen	300 0

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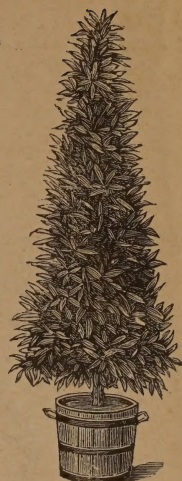
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Stem about	Diam. of head ft. in.	Price per couple s. d.
4 ft.	2 2	20 0
	2 4	25 0
	2 6	30 0
	2 10	40 0
	3 0	50 0
	3 4	60 0
	3 8	75 0

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Height above tub ft. in.	ft. in.	Price per couple s. d.
4 8	2 0	20 0
5 4	2 2	25 0
5 10	2 6	30 0
6 4	2 8	40 0
6 8	2 10	50 0
7 6	3 0	60 0
8 4	3 4	75 0



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